

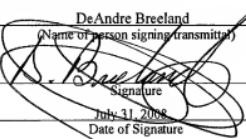
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**RESPONSE SUBMITTED WITH  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 14, 2008 having a three-month period for response set to expire on August 14, 2008, Applicant submits herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and an electronic payment of \$810.00 as payment of the RCE fee. Applicant hereby amends the above-referenced application as follows.

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.